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TEL AVIV (AP) -- THE ISRAELI GOVERNMENT EARLY SATURDAY REAFFIRMED ITS "POSITIVE DECISION IN THE PRINCIPLE TOWARD THE SIGNATURE OF A CEASE-FIRE AGREEMENT WITH EGYPT."
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ISRAELI CABINET SESSION ENDS, MORE CONTACTS WITH U.S. PLANNED M092308 JERUSALEM DOMESTIC SERVICE IN HEBREW 2300 GMT 9 NOV 73 M

(TEXT) THE CABINET HAS JUST ENDED A SESSION WHICH LASTED SEVERAL HOURS. AT THE END OF THE SESSION, THE CABINET ANNOUNCED THAT THE ISRAELI GOVERNMENT'S POSITIVE, PRINCIPLED POSITION REGARDING THE SIGNING OF A CEASE-FIRE AGREEMENT WITH EGYPT IS STILL IN EFFECT. IT WAS ALSO STATED THAT FURTHER CONTACTS WILL BE HELD WITH REPRESENTATIVES FOR THE U.S. GOVERNMENT ON THE SUBJECT.

THE PRIME MINISTER REPORTED AT THE CABINET SESSION ON HER TALKS WITH THE U.S. AMBASSADOR CONCERNING THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN ISRAEL, EGYPT AND THE UNITED SLATES REGARDING THE CEASE-FIRE ARRANGEMENTS ON THE EGYPTIAN FRONT. MAJ GEN AHARON YARIV REPORTED ON HIS TALKS WITH EGYPTIAN REPRESENTATIVES. THE CLAUSES OF THE AGREEMENT WERE DISCUSSED.

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